



Texas Department of
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Faith-Based and Community Engagement

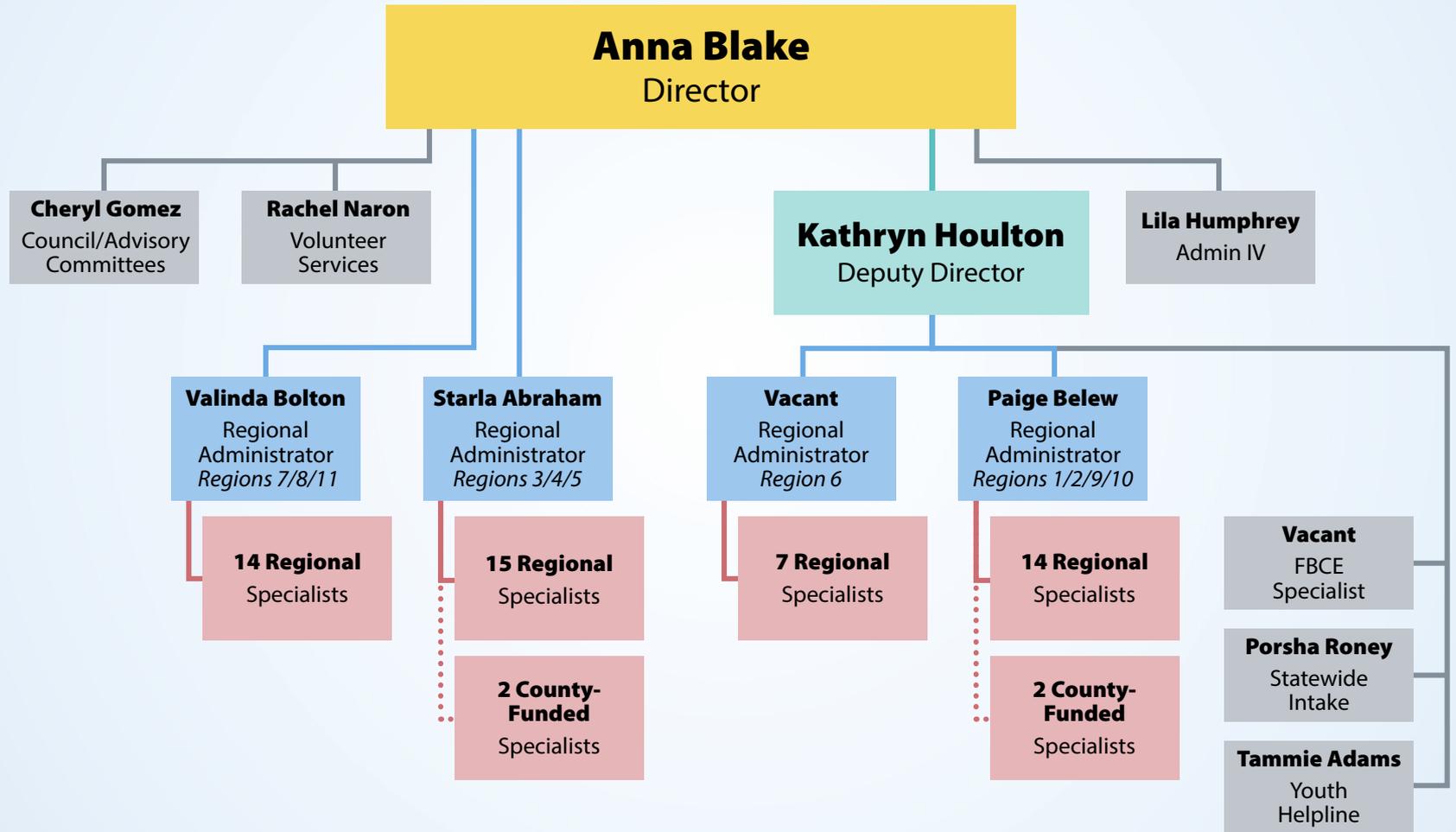


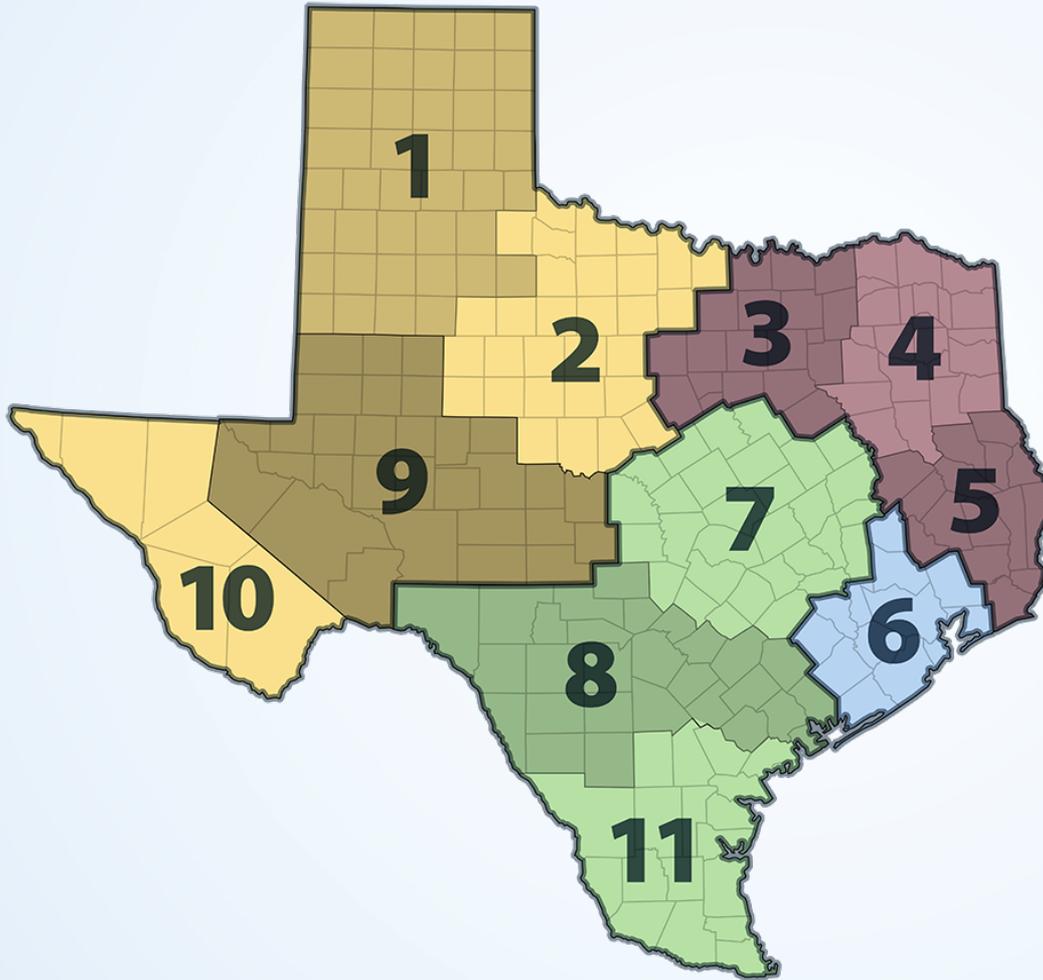
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- Regions 1/2/9/10
- Regions 3/4/5
- Region 6
- Regions 7/8/11



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The Value We Bring

Protect the Unprotected

DFPS TEXAS
Department of Family
and Protective Services

1-800-252-5400

TxAbuseHotline.org

Report Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation

If you suspect:

- A child is being abused or neglected.
- An adult with a disability 65 or older is being neglected, financially exploited, or is in a state of self-neglect.

• Report online, or call toll-free at **1-800-252-5400** 24/7/365, nationwide.

• If someone is in immediate danger, call 911 or local police and then call the Texas Abuse Hotline.

We help educate people about abuse and neglect and how to report it.

Faith-Based and Community Engagement



The Value We Bring



We build partnerships with corporate groups, faith communities, nonprofits and volunteers to serve children, families and adults.



**Faith-Based
Program**



**Emergency
Resource Rooms**



**Volunteers
and Interns**



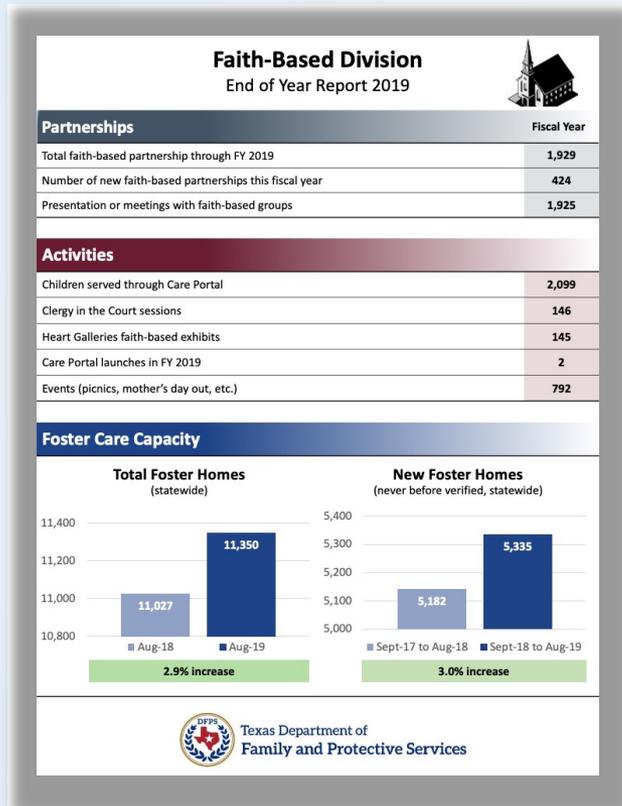
**Community
Engagement**



**SWI and
Youth Helpline**



**Advisory
Committees**



- 1995** The Advisory Committee on Promoting Adoption of Minority Children (ACPAMC)
- 2003** Congregations Helping in Love and Dedication (CHILD)
- 2016** Re-energized Faith-Based is part of the Commissioner's 10-point plan
- 2020** The Commissioner formed the Office of Faith-Based and Community



- **Human Trafficking Sunday – January**
Human Trafficking Awareness Month
- **Blue Sunday – April**
Child Abuse Prevention Month
- **Stand Sunday – November**
Adoption Awareness Month



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We Promote Adoption



**Adopt a child
Why not you?**



Texas Adoption Resource Exchange

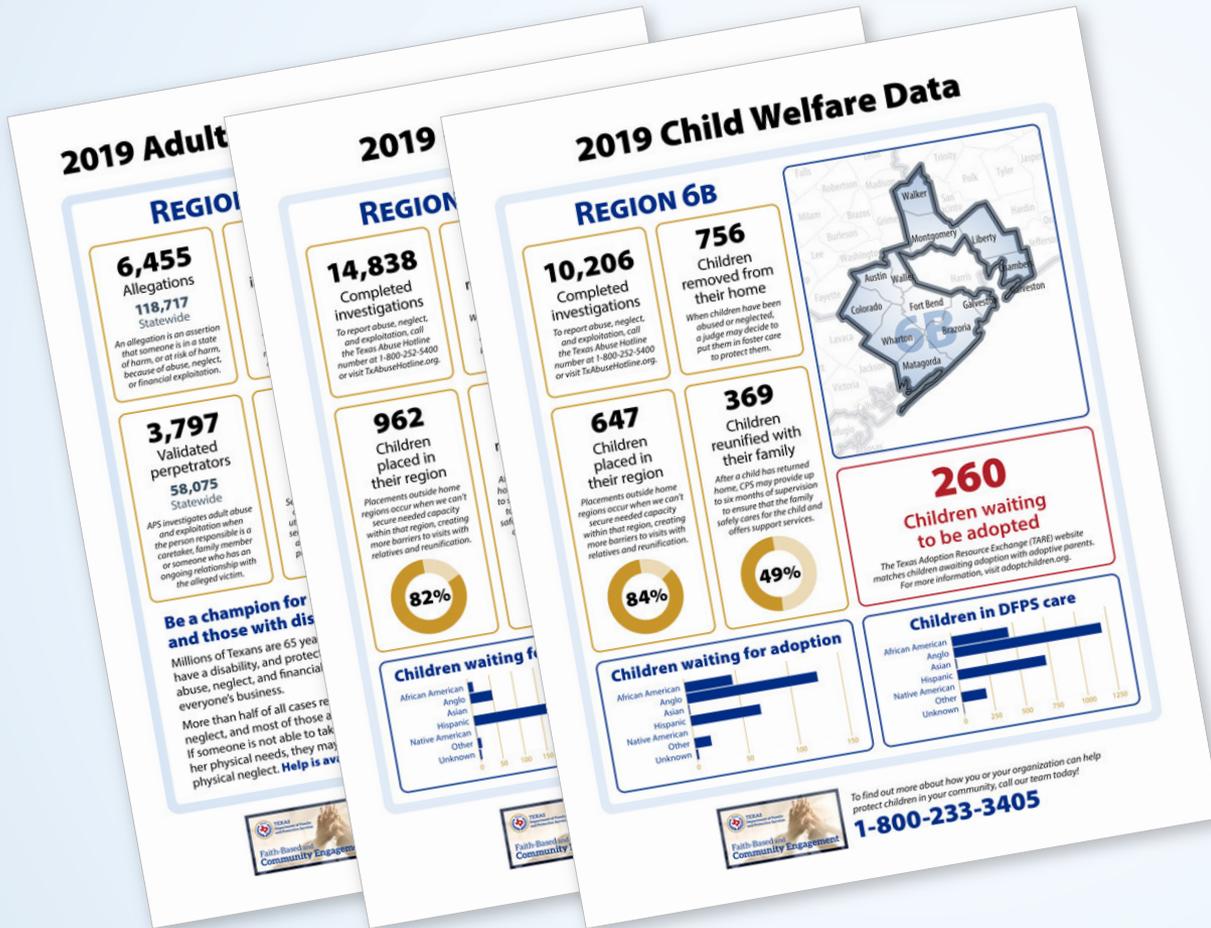
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- Clergy in Court for Kids
- Foster/Adopt Ministry
- CarePortal and Adopt-A-Family
- Babysitting/Parents Night Out
- Awareness Events



- 2,000+ Faith Partners
- 23 Bed Ministries
- 26 bag ministries
- Regional Summits
- Hundred of events throughout the year



We are committed to connecting with partners in areas of critical need.



- 136 Rainbow Rooms
- 36 Silver Star Rooms



We recruit volunteers to help us with our work

- Sit in the hospital with children
- Assist caseworkers in the office
- Build wheelchair ramps, do yardwork, and make home repairs for older adults
- Sort clothing and supplies in the resource rooms



4,705
volunteers & interns



326
volunteer groups



\$2.8 million
in value





CarePortal

*Adopt a
Family *

- ✓ **39 counties**
- ✓ **521 Faith partners enrolled**
- ✓ **13,740 children served**
- ✓ **Economic impact \$3,705,513**

- ✓ **27 counties**
- ✓ **125 Faith partners enrolled**
- ✓ **2,300 children served**
- ✓ **Economic impact \$345,650**



Advisory Committees



We also engage the community by inviting them to serve on statewide advisory committees.



Advisory Committees

CARP

Committee on Advancing
Residential Practices

YLC

Youth Leadership
Council

PPP

Public Private
Partnership

PCG

Parent Collaboration
Group

ACPAMC

Advisory Committee on Promoting
Adoption of Minority Children

Council

Family and Protective
Services Council



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Thank You

Any questions?

Contact Anna at anna.blake@dfps.texas.gov